My thoughts are that there is a need for remote control of a HF station.

For some reason, there seems to be a lot of hams (restricted) living in apartments/condos or in areas that prohibit outside antennas.

Being able to remotely access a HF station gives them the opportunity to get on HF without having to drive to a club station. Additionally, this would enable a club station to be built on cheaper land that is usually father from populated areas.

Also, this would allow restricted hams to operate another ham's station, when it isn't being used.

For me, I would like to be able to set up a remote low band receiving station. While I can build a fairly good transmitting antenna for 160 and or 80 meters, it is just too noisy now to hear most signals on those bands, and I don't have the room for beverage antennas.

Since I don't use VHF or UHF, I don't have any information about the impact of Kenwood's proposal.

I do believe there is demand for such a system.

Obviously, the people that benefit, would be the hams who purchase and use it.